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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 1645

PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 2356.0043-02

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Philippe SANSONETTI et al.

Application No.: 08/466,698

Filed: June 6, 1995

For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING  
TRANSFORMED *SHIGELLA* (As  
Amended)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Applicants now reply to the Final Office Action dated February 7, 2002, the period for reply having been extended to August 7, 2002, by a Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed herewith. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 24-35, 38, 47, and 50-87 without prejudice to, or disclaimer of, the subject matter recited therein.

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